Agent Retires

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fore the night was over, I wished 'that something' had gotten him. The most sensible remark he made during the night was 'a straw hat is the meanest thing in the world to wear.' I was truly happy when dawn and 7 o'clock came and I was relieved by my brother, Clarence. I gladly turned my uninvited guest over to him."

When Mr. McDearman began work it was in the days of single track. There were no telephones. At that time hand signals and switches were in use.

The retired agent is now wearing an American Waltham double case silver watch which cost only $12.50 in 'the good old days.' He purchased this timepiece with the first money he earned on the railroad. His brother, Clarence, selected and bought the watch for him in Lynchburg and relayed it to him at Rice by a conductor on a loacl freight, who in turn passed it on to Mr. J. A. Sears, then agent at Rice, to deliver to the proud new owner.

Mr. McDearman was born in Appomattox, just one-half mile from the new brick home in which he and Mrs. McDearman now reside. He is the son of the late William James and Molly Stickley McDearman. He married Miss Pearl Irving Farrar, of Evergreen, in 1902. They have two daughters, Mrs. Harold Y. Spencer of Appomattox, and Mrs. Robert D. Sears, of Charlotte C. H.; and one granddaughter, Miss Mary Yancey Spencer, of Appomattox.

When asked if he was enjoying his leisure hours since last Tuesday, Mr. McDearman replied without hesitation, "Well, I feel just about like I imagine a fish feels out of water. I'm just no good at loafing."

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EMERGENCY MARCH OF DIMES REQUIRED

.. New York.- Iron lungs and other respiratory equipment have meant the difference between life and death for 1,000 polio patients so far this year and thousands more will need these breathing machines to keep them alive before the end of the year.

This was disclosed today by Dr. Kenneth S. Landauer, assistant medical director of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis in explaining, "one of the underlying reasons" behind the current Emergency March of Dimes campaign which will run until August 31.

Dr. Landauer, revealing that the percentage of severely paralyzed patients had been increasing during the last few years, gave these two reasons for the rise:

1. Many critically paralyzed patients, who in former years would have died, now survive because of improved care and treatment.

2. Polio is attacking more adults and a higher percentage of these patients suffer severe paralysis.

"While many of the new polio patients requiring iron lungs and other breathing aids this year will need them only for a few days or weeks, many will become long-term prisoners of their iron lungs. They will join the almost 2,000 respirator patients from previous years whose horizons are still limited to their six-by-three-foot machines. These polio prisoners must not waste away their lives dependent on mechanical breathing to keep them alive.

"Fortunately, improved techniques of treatment and rehabilitation have been developed largely through March of Dimes grants .. that now offer real hope of freeing the majority of such respirator patients. But it is an expensive process and more funds are urgently needed to do the job," Dr. Landauer emphasized.

"Soaring treatment costs for such long-term polio patients have done much to exhaust March of Dimes funds this year. This is a major reason why an Emergency March of Dimes must be held August 16 - 31."

THIRD OF ALL HOME OWNERS ARE NEWCOMERS

More than a third of all home owners are newcomers in their present residencies, according to the Consumer Finances Survey of the Federal Reserve Board. This indicates the magnitude of changes that are being brought about throughout the land by a combination of the building boom, suburbanization, and the inate mobility of the American people.

The figures, gathered early this year, show that 15 per cent of the home owners had lived in their homes less than two years, and that 21 per cent more had occupied their present houses only between two and five years. Of these two groups, about two out of every three were younger families, many of them headed by veterans.

Antique cars take part in an "Old Crock's Race" between London and Brighton, England, each year.

In high altitudes the llama is used as a beast of burden.

Evangelist Here Sunday Night

Pastor-Evangelist Richard E. Harris

Pastor-Evangelist Richard E. Harris, from South Boston, who recently appeared at the Seventh-day Adventist Church as Chalk-Artist. will be the guest speaker this coming Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock at the same church. His subject will be "Twins from the Garden of Eden Discovered in Appomattox."

Pastor Harris brings with him his wife, Elizabeth Harris, who has sung in large evangelistic campaigns in the major cities of the East. Mrs. Harris will sing several favorite Gospel songs and a duet with Pastor Carey.

CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER FOR STATE HIGHWAY TO RETIRE SEPT. 1

Turner F. Loughborough, construction engineer for the Virginia Department of Highways since 1934, will retire September 1, the agency announced today.

A Department spokesman said Loughborough's successor will be announced later.

Loughborough was born August p9, 1885 in Leesburg. After attending Leesburg Academy, he went to work for the Adams Express Co. of Baltimore, in 1902. Prior to joining the Virginia Department of Highways on June 6, 1921, Loughborough also was employed as an engineer by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, the Erie Railroad Company, and the DuPont Company.

He began his long career with the Highway Department as a project engineer in the Richmond District. Within a few months he was promoted to resident engineer in the Staunton District and became district engineer in April, 1922. He held this position until February, 1933, when he was made district engineer in the Richmond District.

In September, 1934, Loughborough was given the important position of construction engineer for the Highway Department, with the responsibility for all road construction in the state.

As construction engineer, he has had an active part in the development of Virginia's highway system during the past 20 years.

Loughborough is a member of the American Association of State Highway Officials, the Southeastern Association of State Highway Officials and the American Road Builders Association.

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IN MEMORIAM

PAULETTE:- In loving memory of our son, Howard Tilden Paulette, who left us 4 years ago, the 19 of August, 1950.

Four years have passed, dear son.
Since you were called away;
How well do we remember
That sad and weary day.

Our hearts still ache with sadness
Our eyes shed many tears;
God only knows how we miss you,
At the end of four long years.

—Mother, Dad,
Sister, Brother.

(1tp)

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank everyone for their kindness shown me while I was in the hospital and since my return home. Also for the lovely flowers and cards.

Mrs. Jim Reid.

(1tc)

Special Notices

POSTED NOTICE: My farm, known as the J. Tipton Jennings property, RFD 1, Pamplin, on State Road 620, is Posted. No trespassing or hunting allowed. Violators will be prosecuted.

—Mrs. Rebecca Jennings Carter

(8-5-4tp)

NOTICE: I wish to announce that I have opened a service station on Route 460, about 4 mi. east of Appomattox. Will appreciate your patronage. Come in to see us.

Garrett's Service Station.
Melvin Garreit, manager.

(1tp)

NOTICE: Will bale hay on shares.

Frank Mabley,
Route One, Appomattox.

(1tp)

NOTICE: Rooms for rent by night or week.

Mrs. J. M. Rosser, Mgr.,
Hotel Appomattox,
Appomattox, Va.

(8-19-tfc)

BAKE SALE

Buy your pies, cakes and home-grown vegetables at Appomattox Hadwe. Co. Saturday, August 21.

Sponsored by Fidelis Class,
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For Sale

FOR SALE 5 V Galv. Roofing. $9.50 per sq.

Coleman's Feed & Seed Store
Appomattox, Va.

(4-1-tfc)

3 LOTS FOR SALE: 136 feet front on Isabell St. —Dr. C. C. Lewis, Gladstone, Va.

(8-5-3tp)

FOR SALE: Six bushels of No. 1 Irish Cobbler Potatoes. 5c per lb.

J. H. Tolley,
Phone 4386, Appomattox, Va.

(1tp)

FOR SALE: Damsons and Cabbage Plants, at

Wilkes' Plant Farm.

(1tc)

FOR SALE: Two fuel oil drums, painted, with all connections.

Mrs. Calvin Robinson.
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(tfc)

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Other Items Too Numerous to Mention

SALE TO BE HELD AT
Bedford Alum Spring Farm
(NEW LONDON, BEDFORD COUNTY)

AT AUCTION
Saturday, August 28
11 A. M.

Owner selling on account of highway going through farm. Must Reduce herd.

FOR INFORMATION CALL
Hopkins Brothers--Auctioneers
Dial 8-2839 Lynchburg, Va.

For Sale

FOR SALE: One and one-half story brick house; six rooms and bath; full basement with oil steam heat. Price $13,500. William C. Hubbard, Appomattox, Va.

(8-19-3tp)

FOR SALE: Baby Holstein bull calf.

Frank Mabley,
Route One, Appomattox.

(1tp)

FOR SALE: 2 Hereford bulls. 4 & 6 months. Pure bred—1 polled, 1 horned.

W. R. Tyree,
Reedy Spring Road, Spout Spring, Va. (1tp)

FOR SALE: John Deere Model 101 corn picker. Perfect condition. Picked less than 75 acres. Priced to sell.

T. H. Tanner.
Route No. 2, Concord, Va.

ADVISES U. S. WOMEN TO LEARN ABOUT MEN

Hollywood actress, Lana Turner, back from a year of picture making abroad, believes American women have a lot to learn about men. She reveals ways in which European win .. and keep their husbands in an interesting article in August 29th issue of

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(8-12-2tc)

DOES PHARAOH'S CURSE REALLY EXIST?

Some believe that evil spirits stand guard over Egypt's royal tombs. Sax Rohmer, famous creator of 'Dr. Fu Manchu,' takes a look at this "Curse of the Pharaohs" in an absorbing article in August 29th issue of

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Wanted To Buy

WANTED TO BUY: Pine and poplar. Get prices at the mill.

Joe F. Watson,
Route 1, Appomattox, Va.

(7-29-3tc)

WE ARE NOW PAYING 50c to 70c per hundred pounds for miscellaneous scrap iron—Light iron, cut apart, free of whole bodies 35c per hundred pounds. Highest prices paid for rags, and other metals.

Lynchburg Iron & Metal Co.,
Park Ave. & Kemper St.,
Lynchburg, Va.

(7-1-tfc)

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED: A dependable settled white woman to care for baby and do light house work.Monday through Friday, beginning Sept. 6. Live on. Phone 3048.

Mrs. Irvin Hudson,
Appomattox, Va.

(8-12-2tc)

WANTED: A housekeeper for family of three. To start around Sept. 1. —Write: Box 171, Appomattox, Va.

(1tc)

For Rent

OFFICES FOR RENT: Several available for immediate occupancy. Year-round Air Conditioning, light and toilet facilities. See: The Bank of Appomattox.

(6-21-tfc)

FOR RENT: Three room house, on Woodland Street.

A. T. Inge.

(8-19-2tp)

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Phone: Saluda 8-2112.
(7-29-4tc)

Legals

AUCTION SALE

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Pursuant to authority vested in the undersigned Trustee by virtue of that certain deed of trust executed by John Harding Ferguson, dated May 29, 1954, and upon default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and upon request by the holder of said obligation that said deed be executed, the following described property will be offered for sale:

1946-47 Chrysler Windsor sedan, Mtr. No. C38-40881

SATURDAY, AUG. 28, at 11 o'clock at Lewis Motor Co., Rt. 460, 3 miles East of Appomattox.
Terms: Cash.

J. C. Davidson, Trustee
(8-19-2tc)

AUCTION SALE

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Pursuant to authority vested in the undersigned Trustee, by virtue of that certain deed of trust executed by Willard Marshall, Jessie Marshall and Ollie Marshall dated 3rd, 1953, and wherein default in green made in payment of indebtedness therein secured and upon request by the holder of said obligation that said trust be executed, the following described property will be offered for sale:

1950 Pontiac 8 2-dr. Sdan.

SATURDAY AUG. 28th, at 11 o'clock at Lewis Motor Co., Rt. 460, 3 miles East of Appomattox.
Terms: Cash.

J. C. Davidson, Trustee
(8-19-2tc)

BUILDING PERMIT REQUIRED

NOTICE:

The 1954 General Assembly amended Sec. 36-76 of the Code providing that no person, firm or corporation shall commence the construction, repair or improvement of any building or structure permanently annexed to the freehold of the cost of the same shall exceed the sum of $500.00, until he shall have first obtained from the Director of the Revenue a permit in writing signed by said Commissioner. Any violation of this provision shall be a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not exceeding $25.00.

Board of Supervisors
Appomattox County
By: F. L. Murphy, Chairman
C. W. Smith, Clerk
(8-19-2tc)

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Appomattox County on the 12th day of August, 1954.

John David Patterson, Plaintiff,
Against
Nannie May Patterson, Defendant.
600 Central Ave., Chester, Penn.,

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce on the ground of desertion.

And it appearing by affidavit filed that Nannie May Patterson is not a resident of Virginia, she is hereby required to appear within ten days after the due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect her interest.

Teste: C. W. Smith, Clerk
George Abbitt Jr., p. q.
Appomattox, Va.
(8-19-4tc)

The Training Union of Liberty Baptist Church is sponsoring a

Lawn Party

to be held

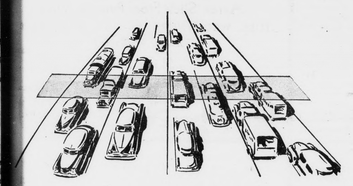
Sat., Aug. 2

at the church beginning at 4 P. M. Everyone is invited to attend. The proceeds will go to the building fund.

Make Yourselves at Home, Folks, And Become Part of the Family . . .

No. 29 of a series

We welcome new families to historic Appomattox . . .



Every new family that moves to Appomattox to live . . . every new home started . . . adds to the overall value of the community. And how they have been coming to this historic town in recent years. Sometimes we almost have to rub our eyes to believe the rapid growth of the community has taken place in so short a period, and we thrill to just riding around town and see the bright new homes that have gone up both in the town limits and in what we like to call "metropolitan Appomattox."

We say a hearty welcome! We are glad to have you, and want you to join in local activities . . . attend our churches, support our schools, join our many clubs and organizations, participate in our many job opportunities . . . and learn to feel at home. We think of Appomattox as a "friendly town." You get to know and like your neighbors right off . . . and especially we want each new family to get acquainted with our progressive business places so, they too, will love to shop at home.

If you have purchased a farm near Appomattox, you will find that we have excellent farm machinery and equipment dealers, giving you repair service as well as sales. You will find here a live market for timber and wood products, outstanding building materials dealers and wherever you go in town you will find that the family is welcome. If you have employment here and have built a home so as to be near your work, you will enjoy trading with the merchants listed on this page, And car owners will find tops in sales and service in Appomattox. Our banks are your friends and in rounding out a "complete" town you will learn that it pays to "Try Appomattox First" because you save time and money by dealing at home.

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